

CUSTOMER NO. 23932

PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 61170-31USPX

REMARKS

Claim 15 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Bissey. Claim 15 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Nakamura.

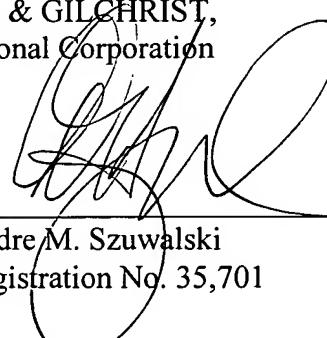
The subject matter of objected to dependent claim 16 has been added to independent claim 15. Claim 15 is accordingly is now in condition for allowance.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully submit that the application is in condition for favorable action and allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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